

Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

1-11. (cancelled).

12. (previously presented): A substantially purified polypeptide comprising an amino acid sequence at least 90% identical to SEQ ID NO:4, provided said polypeptide comprises amino acids 67-98 of SEQ ID NO:4, and wherein said polypeptide binds IL-10 or IL-22.

13. (previously presented): The polypeptide of claim 12, wherein said polypeptide comprises the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:4.

14. (previously presented): A fusion polypeptide comprising the polypeptide of claim 12 linked to a non-CRF2-12 polypeptide.

15. (previously presented): The fusion polypeptide of claim 14, wherein said non-CRF2-12 polypeptide comprises at least one member selected from the group consisting of an Fc region of an immunoglobulin molecule, a FLAG epitope, a HIS tag, and a MYC tag.

16. (original): A pharmaceutical composition comprising the polypeptide of claim 12 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

17. (cancelled).

18. (currently presented): A kit comprising in one or more containers the CRF2-12 polypeptide of claim † 12.

9-70. (cancelled).

71. (previously presented): The polypeptide of claim 12, wherein said polypeptide comprises the polypeptide sequences

MMPKHCL/FLG L/FLI, (SEQ ID NO:13),

FQSRNFHNILH/QWQ A/PG (SEQ ID NO:14),

SI/VYFVQYKM/TYGQS/RQW (SEQ ID NO:15),

TPRFTPWWETKL/IDPPV (SEQ ID NO:16),

LV/LYRVFT/IINNSLEKEQKA/VYEG (SEQ ID NO:17),

RAVEIEG/ALI/TPHSSYCVVAEM/IYQPM (SEQ ID NO:18), and

DRRSP/QRSK/EERCVQ/EIP (SEQ ID NO:19).

72. (cancelled).

73. (previously presented): The polypeptide of claim 12, wherein the amino acid sequence of said polypeptide is at least 95% identical to SEQ ID NO:4.

74. (previously presented): The polypeptide of claim 12, wherein the amino acid sequence of said polypeptide is at least 98% identical to SEQ ID NO:4.

75. (previously presented): The polypeptide of claim 12, wherein the amino acid sequence

of said polypeptide is at least 99% identical to SEQ ID NO:4.

76. (previously presented): The polypeptide of claim 12, wherein said polypeptide binds IL-10.

77. (previously presented): The polypeptide of claim 12, wherein said polypeptide binds IL-22.

78-91. (cancelled).